

## Old Town San Diego SHP Calendar 2012

(Meetings, volunteer activities and most events)

Old Town San Diego State Historic Park relies on volunteers to help improve the quality of programs. We need your skills and enthusiasm to bring our early San Diego history to life. In addition to the activities and events listed below we need help in gardening, administration, tour guiding, logistic support etc. Please contact the Volunteer Coordinator Joe Vasquez at 619-952-3897 for more details in providing fun and memorable experiences for all!

**\*All Planning meetings: Tuesday 1:00-2:00pm; Thursday 12:00-1:00pm**

**Ongoing Events in the Park Year-round**—Ongoing living history activities every Wednesday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

### **1<sup>st</sup> Saturday**

Print Guild and Tintype Guild 10 to 2 pm

### **2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday**

Californio Living History 1 to 4 pm

### **3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday**

Quilt Guild, Fiber Arts Guild 12:30 to 3:30 pm

Mormon Battalion 10 to 4 pm

### **4<sup>th</sup> Saturday**

Mountain Men and Soap Makers Guild 11 to 4 pm

### **Every Wednesday and Saturday**

Quilt Guild every Wednesday afternoon

Blacksmith Guild's presentation and Woodworking, all day

**Los Bailadores** (Dance Group practice every Tuesday 5 to 6:30 pm)

Native Plant Garden maintenance work party every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday 1 to 3 pm

### **January 2011**

13<sup>th</sup> Craft Committee and Sewing Committee 9 to 12 pm

14<sup>th</sup> Descendants Committee mtg 10 to 12 pm

15<sup>th</sup> Blessing of the Animals

21<sup>st</sup> VIP Volunteer Meeting 10 to 12 pm

Topic: Living History

28<sup>th</sup> Mormon Battalion Day 10 to 3 pm

### **February**

1<sup>st</sup> Coffee mixer with volunteers 9:30-10:30am

10<sup>th</sup> Craft Committee and Sewing Committee 9 to 12 pm

10<sup>th</sup> Taste and Tell Lunch 12 pm

18<sup>th</sup> VIP Volunteer Meeting -10 to 12 pm

Topic: Maritime Presentation- Steve Andres

18<sup>th</sup> New Volunteer Orientation 1:00-4:30pm

23<sup>rd</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of July Planning Mtg

25<sup>th</sup> Descendants Research Workshop 11to 4pm

## **March**

9<sup>th</sup> Craft Committee and Sewing Committee 9 to 12 pm  
9<sup>th</sup> Taste and Tell Lunch 12 pm  
10<sup>th</sup> Descendants Committee mtg 10 to 12 pm  
15<sup>th</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of July Planning Meeting  
17<sup>th</sup> VIP Volunteer Mtg. -10 to 12 pm  
Topic: History of Women, Women's History Museum

## **April**

4<sup>th</sup> Coffee mixer with volunteers 9:30-10:30am  
13<sup>th</sup> Craft Committee and Sewing Committee 9 to 12 pm  
14<sup>th</sup> Taste and Tell Lunch 12 pm  
21<sup>st</sup> VIP Volunteer Meeting -10 to 12 pm  
Topic: Living History at Old Town-Staff  
21<sup>st</sup> New Volunteer Orientation 1-4:30 pm  
21<sup>st</sup> Living History Showcase in Park 12 to 4pm  
28<sup>th</sup> Shades of Poe—Produced by Write Out Loud  
28<sup>th</sup> Southern California Folkorico Competition

## **May**

2<sup>nd</sup> Coffee mixer with volunteers 9:30-10:30am  
5<sup>th</sup> Cinco de Mayo  
6<sup>th</sup> Cinco de Mayo  
11<sup>th</sup> Craft Committee and Sewing Committee 9 to 12 pm  
11<sup>th</sup> Taste and Tell Lunch 12 pm  
12<sup>th</sup> Descendants Committee mtg 10 to 12 pm  
16<sup>th</sup> CALPA Conference May 16<sup>th</sup> to May 20<sup>th</sup> \_  
19<sup>th</sup> VIP Volunteer Mtg. -10 to 12 pm  
Topic: Historic Architecture- Bruce Coons

## **June**

2<sup>nd</sup> Ladies Day 11to 4pm  
6<sup>th</sup> Coffee mixer with volunteers 9:30-10:30am  
8<sup>th</sup> Craft Committee and Sewing Committee 9 to 12 pm  
8<sup>th</sup> Taste and Tell Lunch 12 pm  
16<sup>th</sup> VIP Volunteer Mtg. -10 to 12 pm  
Topic: Spanish Presidio- Bob Stevens  
16<sup>th</sup> New Volunteer Orientation 1:00-4:30pm  
30<sup>th</sup> Descendants Day and Research Workshop 11to 4pm

## **July**

### **Stagecoach Days** (Every Saturday in July and August)

- 4<sup>th</sup> Old Fashion 4<sup>th</sup> of July 11to 4pm
- 13<sup>th</sup> Craft Committee and Sewing Committee 9 to 12 pm
- 13<sup>th</sup> Taste and Tell Lunch 12 pm
- 14<sup>th</sup> Descendants Committee mtg 10 to 12 pm
- 21<sup>st</sup> VIP Volunteer Mtg. -10 to 12 pm  
Topic: Women's Underpinnings, Nancy Munson

## **August**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Coffee mixer with volunteers 9:30-10:30am
- 10<sup>th</sup> Craft Committee and Sewing Committee 9 to 12 pm
- 10<sup>th</sup> Taste and Tell Lunch 12 pm
- 11<sup>th</sup> Californio Vaquero Day 12 to 5 p.m.
- 18<sup>th</sup> Twain Fest (in conjunction with Write Out Loud)
- 18<sup>th</sup> New Volunteer Orientation 1 to 4:30 p.m.
- 25<sup>th</sup> Descendants Research Workshop 11to 4pm

## **September**

- 5<sup>th</sup> Coffee mixer with volunteers 9:30-10:30am
- 8<sup>th</sup> Descendants Committee mtg 10 to 12 pm
- 9<sup>th</sup> Tequila Trail
- 14<sup>th</sup> Craft Committee and Sewing Committee 9 to 12 pm
- 14<sup>th</sup> Taste and Tell Lunch 12 pm
- 15<sup>th</sup> Spirits of Mexico Festival
- 15<sup>th</sup> VIP Volunteer Mtg. -10 to 12 pm  
Topic: Descendants Panel-Victor Contreras
- 16<sup>th</sup> Fiestas Patrias 12 to 4pm

## **October**

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Coffee mixer with volunteers 9:30-10:30am
- 12<sup>th</sup> Craft Committee and Sewing Committee 9 to 12 pm
- 12<sup>th</sup> Taste and Tell Lunch 12 pm
- 20<sup>th</sup> VIP Volunteer Mtg. -10 to 12 pm  
Topic: DNA: Tracing Your History, Mr. Johnson
- 20<sup>th</sup> New Volunteer Orientation 1 to 4:30 p.m.
- 27<sup>th</sup> Early San Diego Regional History Conference 10to 4pm
- 27<sup>th</sup> Old Town Fall Festival
- 31<sup>st</sup> Trick or Treat

**November**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Dia de los Muertos
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Dia de los Muertos
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Descendants Research Workshop 11to 4pm
- 7<sup>th</sup> Coffee mixer with volunteers 9:30-10:30am
- 9<sup>th</sup> Craft Committee and Sewing Committee 9 to 12 pm
- 9<sup>th</sup> Taste and Tell Lunch 12 pm
- 10<sup>th</sup> Descendants Committee mtg 10 to 12 pm
- 10<sup>th</sup> Irish-Mexican Day TBD
- 17<sup>th</sup> VIP Volunteer Mtg. -10 to 12 pm  
Topic: Native American- Stan Rodriguez

**December**

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Battle Day 11to 4pm
- 5<sup>th</sup> Coffee mixer with volunteers 9:30-10:30am
- 15<sup>th</sup> Holiday in the Park TBD
- 16<sup>th</sup> Las Posada